



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **WATANABE et al.**

Serial No.: **09/700,908**

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Examiner: **Walter Aughenbaugh**

Group Art Unit: 1772

For. **SYNTHETIC RESIN MOLDED ARTICLE AND PROCESS FOR PRODUCING THE SAME**

**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Date: **December 2, 2002**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 1, 2002, Applicants amend the above-identified application as follows.

**IN THE SPECIFICATION**

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Please amend the abstract as follows:

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A molded product of a synthetic resin, formed by the steps of forming a container and a panel type surface layer member by subjecting a synthetic resin sheet to two-stage thermoforming; and forming an outer shell reinforcing layer on a rear surface of the surface layer member by subjecting a glass fiber-reinforced or non-glass-fiber-reinforced ABS resin or AS resin to injection molding. The molded products, such as a container and panels of a synthetic resin, have a strength and a rigidity high enough to withstand severe thermal resistance tests, a high quality and light weight, and are capable of being obtained at a low cost and recycled easily.

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